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Here's a holiday, boys, Lasting half a year! Round the world, and half is Shadow we have tried; Now we're where the laugh is-On the sunny side!

Pigeons coo and flutter, Strutting high aloof Where the sunbeams flutter Through the stable roof, Hear the chickens cheep, boys, And the hen with pride Clucking them to sleep, boys,

Hear the clacking guinea, Hear the cattle moo, Hear the horses whinny, Looking out at you! On the hitching-block, boys, Grandly satisfied, See the old pea-cock, boys,

On the sunny side!

On the sunny side! Robins in the peach-tree, Bluebirds in the pear, Blossoms over each tree In the orchards there!

All the world in joy, boys, Glad and glorified, As a romping boy boys, On a sunny side! Where's a heart as mellow?

Where's a soul as free? Where is any fellow We would rather be? Just ourselves or none, boys World around and wide, Laughing in the sun, boys,

On the sunny side. -John W. Reilly.

#### Selected Story.

# THE DARK HOUR.

"It's no use, Becky," as he felt, the personification of despair. "I've offended the Lord somehow, and He won't let me have a chance to keep a home over our heads. I know I'm not all I ought to be, and I'm punished."

Becky went across the room and patted her husband on the back. "Now, don't take on, Nick, don't' she said. "That can't be, for He as knows all, knows how good you are. Better times'll come. They ed for all your patience yet. 'The darkest hour is just before day." The cobbler shook his head.

"I've given up hope, Becky," he said. "What with the rent and the bill for medicine. It was like me with the gilt sign tempting folks the mending of their old shoes. balls and at her wedding ring. She I'm crushed down. Why, you are had worn it fifteen years and it was

"No more have you," said Beckv. "But la, why there is folks thinks meat is unhulsome. Wegetarians, Nick, they call'em. Where I lived out once I saw one."

"Did he say bread was unhulsome too? 'asked Nick. "Oh, gal, I wish I'd left ve living out at service, rosy ter, I did. If I was an able-bodied gave her for it, but it would by supman, I'd work somehow or somewith me. Becky, why didn't you take Tim Rolf, the wheelwright, and send the little limping cobbler about his business?"

"I don't like Tim," said Becky and I just knew how nice and cosy clothes as good as any one's.

"Used," sighed poor Nick. "Why, it can't be all up hill," said Becky. "I haven't time to go out gallivanting now, but la, I don't miss it. We're steady married folks, now, you know,"

"Oh, Becky," said the cobbler, you try to keep up heart, but you know it's come to starving."

They looked at each other, and then Becky put her arms about her husband. She did not weep upon his bosom; she was so big and strong and he so small and frail, that it only seemed natural to reverse matters. She hugged him up to her shoulder, and covered his is mamma? Oh, mamma!" head over with her apron and put her cheek down outside the bundle head of crumpled curls and a pair thus made, and soothed and patted of blue eyes, swimming in tears, him as if he had been a baby. But she could just make out. M. FOOT. she cried, too, and the apron was

It was a bad state of things. No it in her arms and made inquiries money, no food, no fire, and winter at the corner grocery, where she at its coldest. The children sent bought a slice of ham; but no one ways are rewarded for it. If I'd in this bil!—the one requiring a tory feelings. Probably he knows twice our price. The fastest selling book in America. Immense profits to agents. All intelligent people want it. Any one can become a successful agent. Terms free. Hallett Book Co.. Portland, Maine.

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The origin of the custom is a probably ne knows the child. It was growing left the little lost beggar's child, as the custom is a good reason for belate, the child. It was growing late, too, and becky could not leave it to school house. State as to the distribution of the intermediate from the Governor of the late, too, and becky could not leave it to school house. State as to the distribution of the intermediate from the Governor of the late, too, and becky could not leave it to school house. State as to the distribution of the intermediate from the Governor of the late, too, and becky could not leave it to school house. State as to the distribution of the intermediate from the Governor of the late, t

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could be except at his trade, and to-morrow find its folks." Becky's wishing stopped for heaven only knew how long by a great felon in the palm of her right hand. But Becky loved the queer little mortal she had married; so well, that she stopped crying first, and

seemed made for crying. "You stay at home and mind the place," she said. "I'm going out awhile. Perhaps there'll be a bit of luck-who knows?"

frightened, light blue eyes, that

She put on her bonnet and shawlsuch a thin little shawl-which had been used for an ironing cloth, and had an iron-shaped scorch between the shoulders-and took up a bas-

The cobbler looked at her-"Becky," he said, hoarsely; ·Becky.

She knew just what he meant." "The little children, Nick," she said; "we could starve-but them poor little critters. Nick, it won't seem like begging when its for then came a story of "bu dess" and

And then the door shut behind ! down upon the floor, wishing he "God forgive the man that mar. ped her. ries a woman to starve her." he sobbed. . Why, if I'd known it would have come to this, I'd never

dead. Perhaps being a strange, impulsive little fellow, there might have been a tragic end to this little scene, but that the children came in from school and began to crypartly at the sight of their prostrate father, partly because of hungerand Nick forgot himself to do what he could for them.

I e had no dinner, but he had great deal of love to give them and all the same, thank God. It was with a hope of provisions.

Meanwhile Becky had gon ging. It would be horrible, no if we can but find its name out we who voted for it? If my recollection they are hereby urged to use all it will begin to ferment, during little lame cobbler, dropping his doubt, she thought, to take food may save some one trouble we nevhead upon his hands and looking from strangers, but she found there or had. Think of one of ours be- most unanimous vote given then aid for the promotion of the public drawn off and replaced by fresh, was one thing even more terrible- ing gone all night, Nick." not to take it.

Door after door was slammed in her face. Once a dog was set at her, or she thought so. Profession al beggars Lad made themselves nuisances to many people, and how were they to know real poverty when it asked alms? Men whom they had pitied as paupers proved to be owners of real estate. Cripare sure to, and you will be reward. ples and blind men whom they had aided were found to have bound up strong limbs and glued their eves together-so they were hard upon real distress and refused it broken

At 6 that evening Becky stood at

Beyond lay a ; awnbroker's shop from our shabby basement even for and Becky look d at its golden as thin and white as a ghost. You thin and frail, but pure gold. Through haven't tasted meat this week, Bec. all she had kept it until now. Must it go? The thought was worse

than begging. Becky took a step forward, another back. Then she began to cry a little. Nick's ring that he put on her hand so long ago-ob, dear! oh

But she grew brave again and walked into the shop and pawned and happy; but I meant to do bet- the ring. It was not much they per, and perhaps Nick wouldn't where; but its the last or nothing notice; and perhaps she could get it back. That was a very faint, 'perhaps," however.

A woman was in the pawnshop as she waited bargaining with the pro-prietor over a suit of little girl's clothing-costly things, strangely nessee Butter, Eggs, Apples, Oranges, We'd be together. Never a quarrel, out of place in her hands. Decky White Wine and Cider Vinegar cheap. Nick. And how we used to go to noticed this, saying to herself that Hoboken and have lemonake in the they were never fairly come by. garden, and come home after dark But she had forgotten all about it ing and Smoking Tobacco. I propose a afternoon, and how we used to go when, coming out of the baker's a to keep the best goods that I can get to church Sunday morning in little voice fell on her car, and, looking down, she saw a barefcot

> bing piteously. Becky was soft of heart; but in poor quarters crying children were common enough, and her own were waiting for the loaves in the basket. She walked on ha tily, and so up toddler. Then Booky must needs

stop and pick her up. "Why don't you go home to your mother this night time." she said, "and not stand here to be knocked

And a little silver thread of a voice answered: "I can't find my home.

Becky knelt down. A But the child could tell nothing. It was plainly lost. Becky took

there entered by it not only their Christian ought, but see how we bill, I concurred in what Senator driving their cattle before them, asmother and a basket, but a baby were paid for it. A new baby came frequently to that establishment; and the chil picked up his head and patted it, and kissed him between the eyes-great

dren, in their juvenile view of such matters, opined that they had 'another little sister." "It's a poor lost child," said Beeky. "I'm going to keep it tonight. It's parents are poorer than

we are; you can see that by its bare

feet and only one little frock, poor thing! Now hold her, Nick, while I cook supper. I didn't beg it Nick-so don't fret!" And then, keeping her ring-finger out of sight, Becky fried the ham, and made gravy, and cut bread, and sent for two cents' worth of milk-which, judiciously diluted,

made a quart of milk and waterand tried to be very cheerful. The lost child cried, but Becky fed it and soon coaxed it to talk; "nassy woman."

The youngest, who had chewed her-and poor Nick limped after the red kid, acted as interpreter. her, as though to stop her; then Soon it was discovered that some paused, and fairly flung himself woman, described as "nasty" had taken away the child's blue dress were under the ground beneath it. and other garments, and had whip-

Becky listened intently. "That dress was blue, Nick," she cried. "I knew it warn't hers -- a have courted her. It's time I was tipsy, ragged woman; and folks that own them things don't come to pawning. I--Then she paused; the secret was

out. Nick's eye had danced toward her wedding-ring, and back again to her face. "Oh, Becky!" he cried. "Becky we didn't think-"

Becky flushed scarlet. "I didn't mean to tell," she said

might be anything else, and putting for it yourself. My agency Further Resolved, That the er, put the weight back and let the children all to bed, all in a row | then in saddling this insufferable | clerks of the Senate and House of | stand for a month. By that time like the little ogres in the fairy burden upon the people consisted Representatives do furnish copies the sauerkraut will be ready for use. tales, save that they had no crowns only in voting with the vast majori- of this Resolution to our Senators Care must be taken to let the least on, Nick and his wife started off to ty of that people for the adoption and Representatives in Congress air possible enter the sauerkraut, the pawnbroker's.

The man was good-natured, and looked at the garments. They were marked M. S.

"I am right then," said Becky. "They are the child's, and they were stole. And if we can but find its poor mother, we'll save her more than any but a mother can "But think of all the Smiths."

said the pawnbroker. "There's thousands of 'em.

may know." until, at last, despairing of an answer, they were turn homeward,

a tall, handsome man. "My precious little Minuie!" cried the woman. Then Nick and Becky gave a

sort of little cheer in unison. "It's them," said Becky; "them certain sure. Oh, mum, if your name is Smith, and you've lost a little girl, we've found her." And then the cobbler and his

story told.

keeping her.

And Nick and Becky forgot their own troubles in their parents' joy. child of four in wretched rags, sob- And Nick said it was "like poetry," and Becky said it was like a play.' And so it was -- one with a happy ending--for what should the lady do but beg and pray Becky to tell her what she would like best, and

where would Nick have been and at the Record you will see that I is this: In the spring of the year So when the cobbler and his the children and me this night. Not voted against its adoption, and in the inhabitants of the villages and children saw the door open at last that I did anything but what a voting on the final passenge of the hamlets shut up their cottages, and

Miscellancous.

#### LETTER FROM SENATOR HAMPTON.

Abbbville Press und Banner.

Hampton can never again have the | Congress and is now standing on | tain with it? following which he once had, if he its Journals: at this late day, and with the exper- Whereas, it is the desire of the peoience of so many years before us, ple of the State of South Carolina attempts in Washington to rivet to promote the education of all peothese galling chains upon a people | ple who inhabit her territory, which

confidence." burden" I have saddled upon that ductive of still greater good to those fresh layers are added as soon as but now it is out; I'm married people. I suppose that you allude classes who cannot be educated the juice floats on the surface. The to the constitutional amendment without aid, therefore, some pieces of red kid. Only the at the pawnshop I saw the blue levying a tax of two mills for ed Be it resolved by the Senate of the youngest chewed the kid, and the dress." And she told them of the ucational purposes, adopted by the fact that "mother" and the basket woman she had watched and of people in 1876. If this supposition were gone togather impressed them her suspicions. "The child has is right, how can I be held more been stole, Nick," she said. "It's accountable for the adoption of that a genteel child, you can see, and amendment than any other citizen tatives in the United States be, and placed. At the end of a few days in favor of this amendment, and schools of this and our sister States, until the liquor becomes clear. The baby's name seemed to be without knowing the fact, I think according to the ratio of illiteracy This should be done every day. Minnie Smith-though "M. S." it highly probable that you voted existing in the States. of the amendment of the constitu- for presentation to said body.

tion you denounce in such harsh terms. That I voted for it I acknowledge freely. I thought it was wise, politic, proper and hu- Clerk of the House of Representamane. I have seen no cause to tives. make me regret the vote I then gave, and I should now deplore any the United States through the acaction looking to a repeal of this tion of the Legislature of South constitutional amendment. In the great canvass of 1876 when our people rescued the State from ruin, I pledged myself to do

"And thousands," said Becky. all in my power to place the means But these men-the police-they of education freely within the reach of every child in the State. I was And out went Nick and Betty to but the exponent of the declared question the guardians of the night purpose of the party which had done me the honor to choose me as their leader, I stand now where I when a blaze of light from an open did then, for I believe firmly that door fell over them, and they saw we shall never have wide spread on the steps a weeping woman and and enduring prosperity in our State until the dark cloud of illiter acy which casts its baneful shadow over our land is dispelled by the diffusion of education among all classes of our people. Such is my firm conviction, and feeling this. shall as long as I am honored with a public trust by the people of every measure that promises to wife were pounced upon and the give the blessings of knowledge to all parties and all races on our soil. In half an hour the six little ogres | In this view, I think that I am without crowns were aroused from oustained by the best elements in their slumbers by an arrival, and Isur State; but if I am mistaken the odd baby in their midst was am willing at any moment to give taken out, to their distress and con- place to any one who will represent sternation, for they had counted on more truly the sentiment of our people. Under no possible circumstances, could I for one moment consent to misrepresent a people who have indeed "me with such implicit confidence," a confidence. which it has been my highest ambition to deserve.

One other charge-or rather in timation-which you make against Becky confessed that to have her me is that I am attempting to 'rivet wedding-ring back was the hope of galling chains" upon our people her life; and this led to the cause but you do not say how I am makof its pawning, and all the story of | ing this attempt. I suppose, howpoverty and sorrow. The dark ever, that you have reference to hours ended and day broke; and my support of the Educational and there was food in the house, Bill which has just passed the Senand fire; and as it happened that ate. If such is the case, you surely the baby Minnie's father needed could not have read that bill, for just such an honest man for work there is nothing in it that imposes as poor Nick could do, he gave the or rivets chains upon any State place to the cobbler; and from that or any people. No State need "I'll take it home," said she, and might have done in such trouble- | roposition. But if you will look murmur. The origin of the custom | Boil two hours.

of State Rights Democrats, among different chalets remains in them My Dear Sir-While I feel per- whom were such distinguished con- from year to year, as they have but fectly assured that you would stitutional lawyers as Garland. to bring the implements they renot intentionally do me an injustice, Lamar, Pugh, Ransom, Brown, quire for the making of their but-I think that the following extract George, Jones, Voorhees and others ter and cheese. These the father from your paper places me in a advocated the bill, a layman like carries, the elder children helping false position, and I appeal to myself, might well feel safe in fol- him; the little children run by his your courtesy to allow me to show lowing their lead: and in giving side, and the mother lifts the cradle wherein you are mistaken. You the benefit of any doubt he might with the baby in it, on her head, say that "this people are going to entertain in favor of a measure fastons the milk pail and the family be freed from the most damnable which he thought full of the most umbrella on her shoulders, and burden which was ever inflicted on beneficent promise to his constitu- taking her knitting in her hand. any people which claimed to be ents. Besides these reasons which works away industriously at a pair free. We do not blame Hampton impelled me to support this meas- of coarse worsted gaiters for Seppi. for saddling this insufferable bur- ure, there was another more potent den upon us. We and this people still. In 1882 the General Assem- ascends the mountain. What are ready to excuse him for it. He bly of South Carolina passed-I would the mother do if she had did, as we believe, what he thought think unanimously—the following to hoist an English cradle on her at the time was best for us, but resolution which was presented to head, and ascend the steep moun-

oss to know what "galling chains" tax of 2 mills upon the taxable proupon" the people whom I have is levied for the support of the pub loved so well, and who have treated lic schools which are open to all

> State of South Carolina, (the curring).

(Signed) T. STOBO FARROW, Clerk of the Senate,

JOHN T. SLOAN,

I hold my place in the Senate of body are, in a special manner, my tainly is my pleasure, to represent

never occur. If this bill becomes a law, it will, is my judgment prove of incalcula are manufactured is surprising. ble benifit to our people. It will One firm in Birmingham received a double the means of educating our single order for over \$2,000 worth. children without increasing the It is said that the blue eyed dolls burdens of taxation; it will place are the favorites in England and within the reach of every man the black eyed ones on the continent inestimable blessings of education; of Europe. Black dolls are made it will help us to remove the stigma of gutta-percha to export to this of ignorance which now rests upon country, where they are in demand us and it will put in the bands of by the colored people. South Carolina, advocate warmly every man those mighty weapons which always give the victory in the great battle of life to knowledge and education, when wielded by inte'ligence and virtue. Believing this firmly and honest-

ly, I gave a hearty support to the Educational Bill. I regret that this measure does not meet your approval, but I have no complaint to make as to your opposition to it, nor to your criticism upon the course I have taken. All my public acts are legitimate subjects of discussion or criticism, and I only write to show you that you are mistaken in your premises. We can agree to disagree, without questioning the sincerity of each other, and I close with the assurance with which I began, that I know you would not do me any in- the most fondling. tentional injustice. I am, very truly yours, WADE HAMPTON.

#### HOW SWISS BABIES LIVE.

I fancy that an English baby, if he could express his thoughts, would day there was enough and to spare accept one dollar under its provis- decidedly object to be placed in in the little home, because of the ions unless it chooses to do so, and the small, narrow box in which simple goodness shown to baby no State accepting its benefits is babies are carried in Switzerland, he was. His occupation was mak-Minnie.

"So it's never time thrown away to do a kindness to any one," says attend the bill? It may be said that around it and him. The Swiss Suer Pudding.—One cup of su

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Ransom had said in giving his cend the mountains and live in their chalets during the summer I make not the slightest reflection | months. They do not stay in one on those who opposed this measure | chalet all the time, but when the they doubtless acted conscientious pasturage becomes poor, ascend to ly, but I confess that I cannot see another, and still another, changthe force of the constitutional ob | ing their abode perhaps eight or jections they urged against it. At | nine times in the course of the seaall events, when a large majority son. The scanty furniture of the or a neckerchief for Kathi. as she

#### SAUER-KRAUT.

This is the way in which sauerwho have loved him so well, who desire is evidenced by the fact that kraut is made in Strasburg, Gerhave trusted him with such implicit | those who now administer the many. They slice very white and affairs of the State have amended firm cabbages in fine shreds with a Now, I confess that I am at a the Constitution so that an annual machine make for the purpose. At the bottom of a small barrel they I have been attempting "to rivet perty and a poll tax of \$1 per head place a layer coarse salt and alternately layers of cabbage and salt being careful to have one of salt on me with such "implicit confidence," classes, and: Whereas, it is earnest top. As each layer of cabbage is and I am equally in the dark as to ly desired that the public schools added, it must be pressed down the character of the "insufferable of this State may be rendered pro- by a large and heavy pestle, and cabbage must be seasoned with a few grains of coriander, juniper berries, etc. When the barrel is House of Representatives Con- full it must be put in a dry cellar. covered with cloth, under a plank, That our Senators and Represen and on this heavy weights are Renew the cloth and wash the covand to have the cover perfectly clean Each time the barrel has to be opened it must be properly closed again. These precautions must not be neglected.

> WHERE WERE DOLLS FIRST MADE -Nobody know's but they Carolina, and the members of that have been used since very early times; and by children in all counimmediate constituents. I regard tries, savage as well as civilized. it therefore as my duty, as it cer- The largest manufactories for dolls are in England, and as in other their expressed wishes. I shall trades, there is a very minute divisalways pursue this course, unless I | ion of labor. Some carve the heads am called on to violate my honest and the bodies, others paint the convictions of what is right, and faces and necks, others prepare legs this contingency, I am sure will and arms, and still others cut out, sew, and put on the dresses. The extent to which dolls' glass eyes

> > THE WAY TO WORK IT-Dumley wanted to stand his landlady off for a couple of weeks' board, and so at the breakfast table he said in a

loud tone of voice: "Ah, Mrs. Hendricks?"

After breakfast she said:

second baby to see it laugh.

"Yes, Mr. Dumley." "Ah, will you be kind enough to pour a little cold water in my coffee ? It is too strong and hot."

"Certainly, Mr. Dumley, I will accommodate you willingly." It is the feeblest mustache, as

well as the sickliest child that gets People learn wisdom by experience. A man never wakes up his

There is one thing about a house which seldom falls, but never hurts the occupant when it does. That

is the rent. A young bride claimed that her husband was a model man. And

SUET PUDDING .- One cup of suet Becky, often, "for somehow you al. | there is one objectionable feature baby has, of course, no such refrac- chopped fine, one cup of raisins, one cup of milk, one cup of molasses, two cups of flour, a little soda. er stopped to care for it-as I funds proposed-and I agree to this so firmly, and submits without a Cinnamon and cloves to the taste.